

TABLE 13--2001 UNRESTRICTED BSAI AFA CATCHER/PROCESSOR GROUND FISH SIDEBOARDS.
AMOUNTS ARE EXPRESSED IN METRIC TONS

Target species	Area	1995 - 1997			2001 ITAC available to trawl C/Ps	2001 C/P sideboard amount
		Total catch	Available TAC	Ratio		
Pacific cod trawl	BSAI	13,547	51,450	0.263	40,867	10,748
Sablefish trawl	BS	8	1,736	0.005	663	3
	AI	1	1,135	0.001	531	1
Atka mackerel	Western AI					
	A season ¹	n/a	n/a	0.200	12,904	2,581
	CH limit ²					1,239
	B season	n/a	n/a	0.200	12,904	2,581
	CH limit					1,239
	Central AI					
	A season ¹	n/a	n/a	0.115	15,540	1,787
	CH limit					882
	B season	n/a	n/a	0.115	15,540	1,787
	CH limit					882
Yellowfin sole	BSAI	123,003	527,000	0.233	96,050	22,380
Rock sole	BSAI	14,753	202,107	0.073	63,750	4,654
Greenland turbot	BS	168	16,911	0.010	5,206	52
	AI	31	6,839	0.005	2,564	13
Arrowtooth flounder	BSAI	788	36,873	0.021	18,709	393
Flathead sole	BSAI	3,030	87,975	0.034	34,000	1,156
Other flatfish	BSAI	12,145	92,428	0.131	23,800	3,118
Pacific ocean perch	BS	58	5,760	0.010	1,471	15
	Western AI	356	12,440	0.029	4,385	127
	Central AI	95	6,195	0.015	2,368	36
	Eastern AI	112	6,265	0.018	2,683	48
Sharpchin/northern	BS			0.078	16	
	AI	1,034	13,254	0.078	6,239	487
Shortraker/rougheye	BS			0.024	99	
	AI	68	2,827	0.024	843	20
Other rockfish	BS	39	1,026	0.038	307	12
	AI	95	1,924	0.049	575	28
Squid	BSAI	7	3,670	0.002	1,675	3
Other species	BSAI	3,551	65,925	0.054	22,525	1,216

¹ The seasonal apportionment of Atka mackerel in the open access fishery is 50 percent in the A season and 50 percent in the B season. Unrestricted AFA catcher/processors are limited to harvesting no more than 20 and 11.5 percent of the available TAC in the Western and Central AI subareas respectively. Unrestricted AFA catcher/processors are prohibited from harvesting Atka mackerel in the Eastern Aleutian Islands District and Bering Sea subarea (paragraph 211(b)(2)(C)).

² Critical habitat (CH) allowance refers to the amount of each seasonal allowance that is available for fishing inside critical habitat (50 CFR part 679 Table 21). In 2001, the percentage of TAC available for fishing inside critical habitat area is 48 percent in the Western AI and 46 percent in the Central AI. When these critical habitat allowances are reached, critical habitat areas will be closed to trawling until NMFS closes Atka mackerel to directed fishing within the same district.